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RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)		Docket Number: 52433/789	
Application Number: PCT/JP03/11654 10/527,809	Filing Date: September 11, 2003 March 11, 2005	Examiner: Not Yet Assigned	Art Unit: Not Yet Assigned
Title: METHOD OF REDUCTION TREATMENT OF METAL OXIDES OR STEELMAKING WASTE AND METHOD OF CONCENTRATING AND RECOVERING ZINC AND/OR LEAD		Applicant(s): ICHIKAWA et al.	

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Sir:

To complete the filing requirements for the above-referenced application under 35 U.S.C. § 371, enclosed please find a Declaration and Power of Attorney. A copy of the Notification of Missing Requirements mailed October 21, 2005 is also enclosed.

1. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the surcharge fee of **\$130.00** to the deposit account of **Kenyon & Kenyon**, deposit account number **11-0600**.
2. The Commissioner is also authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to the deposit account of **Kenyon & Kenyon**, deposit account no. **11-0600**.
3. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.

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NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the International Application filed on 03/11/2005
- English Translation of the IA filed on 03/11/2005
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 03/11/2005
- Copy of IPE Report filed on 03/11/2005
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 05/31/2005
- Oath or Declaration filed on 03/11/2005
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 03/11/2005
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 03/11/2005
- Priority Documents filed on 03/11/2005
- Power of Attorney filed on 03/11/2005
- Specification filed on 03/11/2005
- Claims filed on 03/11/2005
- Abstracts filed on 03/11/2005
- Drawings filed on 03/11/2005

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date. The current oath or declaration does not comply with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) in that it:
 - is not executed in accordance with either 37 CFR 1.66 or 37 CFR 1.68.

- To avoid abandonment, a surcharge (for late submission of filing fee, search fee, examination fee or oath or declaration) as set forth in 37 CFR 1.492(h) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is **\$130** for a Large Entity:

- **\$130** Surcharge.

Additionally the following defects have been observed:

- The oath of declaration does not comply with 37 CFR 1.63 in that it:
 - does not state that the person making the oath or declaration has reviewed and understands the contents of the application, including the claims, as amended by any amendment specifically referred to in the oath or declaration.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.*

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